Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 19 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 20 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Sunday 19 Nov 2023 at 03:43 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for unsettled, showery conditions, becoming more settled on Tuesday then lower for detail from Wednesday.

Headline for Sunday 19 Nov 2023: Cloudy with rain at times. Poor visibility at height.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 19 Nov 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Drizzle	Light rain	Light rain	Fog
Precipitation probability					
50%	40%	40%	30%	30%	60%

Forecast for Sunday 19 Nov 2023

Weather: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain or drizzle, heavy at times. Some drier spells in the afternoon in the east.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Less than 20%, 40% in the afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud, bases 400-600m in the morning becomes broken through the afternoon in the east. The visibility will be moderate or poor, very poor in cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	31/38 SW	27/33 SW	22/27 SW	17/21 SW	16/19 SW	12/15 SW	9/12 SW
900	23/30 SW	20/27 SW	16/22 SW	13/17 SW	10/13 SW	9/12 SW	7/10 SW
600	29/35 SW	26/31 SW	20/25 SW	15/18 SW	11/14 SW	10/12 SW	7/9 W
300	14/22 SW	13/21 SW	11/18 SW	8/14 SW	6/9 S	6/9 S	4/7 SW
Glen	10/21 SW	8/18 SW	10/19 SW	6/13 SW	3/7 SW	3/7 SW	3/5 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	4/-2	4/-2	4/-2	4/-1	4/-1	4/-0	3/-0
900	6/1	6/1	6/2	6/2	6/2	5/2	5/3
600	8/3	8/3	8/4	8/4	8/5	7/5	7/5
300	9/6	9/7	9/7	10/8	9/8	9/8	9/8
Glen	11/9	11/9	11/9	11/10	10/10	10/10	10/9
Freezing Level*	1900m	1900m	1900m	1900m	1900m	1900m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Low cloud persisting throughout the day giving some navigational difficulties.

Forecast for Monday 20 Nov 2023
Weather: Overcast skies with rain, mainly over northern ranges. The afternoon will become drier with bright spells gradually increasing.

Maximum wind: Northeast 25-30mph gust 40mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% increasing 60% in the afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud above 300-600m during the morning will lift to 700-900m with a few bright spells forming from late afternoon.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 Celsius rising plus 12 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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